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In re Application of: :
: **Fernando Carlos Pereira** : Attorney Ref.: 2000-0102
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated November 18, 2004, kindly enter the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.